

## LETTERS FROM BOURBON COUNTY SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

"Somewhere in France, July 24.

"Mrs. H. B. Barlow, Paris, Ky.

"Dear Mother:—I hope that you and sister are both well and feeling fine. I am certainly feeling good and having as good health as I ever had in my life. I have not been sick a single day since I have been in the army. Mother, I know that you will be surprised to hear that I am somewhere in France. I wrote and told you when we were in Camp Mills we were going to move, and that you would not receive any mail from me for a few days.

"We certainly had a fine trip over. The weather was fine, and there was but one little storm one night that lasted but a few hours. Some of the boys got a little seasick on the trip across, but it did not bother me a little bit. I was certainly glad that it did not make me sick from the way the others looked.

"Tell me where brother Harry is in your next letter. I have not heard from him for some time. I do not know whether he is still at West Point, or if he has been sent over here. Tell Uncle John that I am looking for him to cross the ocean pretty soon. This is as pretty a country as anyone could wish for anywhere. Well, I must close now, so good bye for the time.

"Your loving son,  
HERMAN BARLOW.  
2601691 First Pioneer Infantry,  
Amer. Expd. Force."

Mrs. Nellie Highland received the following letter from Charles Edwards, colored, formerly of Paris, now in France, as a member of the American Expeditionary Force:

"France, July 22, 1918.

MISS NELLIE—This leaves me well, trusting that these few lines will find you the same. I have been in the trenches several times and have been under fire in four real hot battles, and haven't even got a pin scratch. So I am very proud to know that I am well trained enough to know how to save my life and help save others, as well as the old flag.

"I would like to know how old Kaiser Bill and old Von Hindenburg feel now, over so many Sammies over in France, ready to meet any cause.

"Well, Miss Nellie, we have been under four fires, as I told you before, in which we killed and wounded many Germans, and we haven't lost one of our company boys yet. We had only two wounded, and they are well now. We now are in a resting camp, about ten miles behind the front lines, and very soon we will go to the front again, after a brief rest.

"I hope you will be prosperous in farming. Still I guess the farming is over with now, isn't it? I will close, trusting to hear from you real soon.

"From your obedient servant,  
PRIVATE CHAS. EDWARDS.  
"Co. H, 372 R. I. W. S., S. P. 179,  
France, via New York."

From a French town, comes the following letter to Mrs. Mary H. Williams, colored, from her son, Corporal George F. Williams, of Paris:

"July 14, in France.

"Dear Mother:—I am taking the greatest pleasure in writing to you to inform you that I am in the best of health. I know you have been worrying because you have not had a letter from me, but I have not had time since I wrote you a card. . . . Well, mother, there is not very much that I can say just now. I hope you and all the rest are well. I hope the Lord will spare me to see you again. . . . I have dreamed of home and you many nights, and I have also thought I heard you singing that song you used to sing, 'Where is My Wandering Boy To-night?' Well, here comes the work call, so I will close by asking God to bless you and all the others and keep you safe and return me safe to you again.

"CORP. GEO. WILLIAMS,  
"Co. L, 365th Infantry, Amer. Expd. Force."

Henry Letton, colored, with Frank & Co., is in receipt of a letter from David Johnson, formerly porter at the Harry Simon stores in this city, who is now in France with the American Expeditionary Forces. The letter, which is dated July 30, follows:

"I have now been away from home three weeks, and have only had time to write a card announcing my safe arrival in France. You must know from this that a fellow doesn't have much time for writing when he is soldiering here. . . . I like this soldier life very much. So far we are certainly seeing the country at the Government's expense. I will have plenty to tell you when I come back. I have been watching every organization very closely in hopes that I can run across Will or some of the other boys that left in the first bunch, but so far I have not seen any of them. When you write tell me which organization he is in. . . . I wish you could have been on the boat with us. It was very amusing to see the fellows get seasick. I stood the trip fine. We landed at one camp and spent several days resting after our long sea journey. At the end of a specified time we started on our trip into the interior of this country. It took us about three days to reach our destination, during which time we passed over some very beautiful country and through a number of towns that are almost indescribable, on account of their beauty and quaintness. . . . I wish I could send you some souvenir postcards of the country, but it is against the military rules to do so. When you answer tell me all the news. I will write again when I am not so busy."

"DAVID JOHNSON.  
"Headquarters Detachment, 317th Q. M. C. L. Bn., Amer. Expd. Force."

### WAR INDUSTRIES BOARD RULES ON FREE PAPERS.

The United States War Industries Board recently issued strict regulations requiring the discontinuance of all free copies, including those to soldiers and sailors, sample copies, etc., by "publishers of weekly papers."

It now appears that this ruling does not refer to publishers of weeklies or semi-weeklies. THE NEWS recently wrote to the War Industries Board, explaining that we were sending out a large number of free copies of the paper to Bourbon county soldiers whose relatives had not subscribed for them, and asking that we be permitted to continue sending these papers to the soldiers and sailors.

In reply we received a letter from Mr. T. E. Donnelly, Chief of the Pulp and Paper Section of the War Industries Board, saying that for the present "you may continue sending your paper to the soldier boys." It is evident, however, that the rules will be extended soon to cover the weeklies and semi-weeklies, as Mr. Donnelly further stated: "Without doubt regulations will be issued shortly covering weekly papers at which time a copy will be sent you."

Until such time THE NEWS will continue to go to the boys in the camps and on the ships who do not feel that they are able to subscribe for it from their pay.

### RED CROSS APPEALS FOR TRENCH FOOT SLIPPERS

To the Women of Bourbon County: In our quota for September 1, 1st Red Cross work, is a request for 500 trench foot slippers (250 pairs.)

These slippers should be made of velvet, velveteen, corduroy or heavy cloth. They are then lined with outing flannel.

It is impossible for us to buy the necessary material and we are asking the patriotic women of the county to send us any garments or pieces they have no use for, to be used in this way. An old pair of cloth trousers, or a coat, can be cut into several pairs, as the slippers can be pieced.

We published an appeal some days ago, but the response was so small we have less than 50 slippers made.

Are we to fail in this, as we have done in nothing else? We have been proud of our record up to this time. May it always remain unblemished. If any friend desires to buy a remnant or piece of new material to send in, it requires two-thirds of a yard of 27 inch goods to make one pair.

Send all material to the Red Cross rooms, at the Court House, in Paris. If it is more convenient for ladies out in the country, materials may be sent to Mrs. Annabelle Wallace, or Mrs. D. C. Lisle, at Leesburg; Miss Florence Hopkins, at Little Rock; Mrs. Letcher Weathers, at Clintonville, and Mrs. Jno. Collins, at North Middletown.

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### REAL ESTATE DEALS.

Messrs. Plummer & McClure purchased this week of Mr. Lee Deavers, of Paris, the remaining tract of the old Deavers home place on the Jackstown pike, near Paris, containing about fifty acres, for about \$250 per acre. They recently bought ten acres of the tract to straighten out a division line, and their new purchase makes them possessors of the entire farm, comprising about 430 acres in the one tract.

Mr. B. L. Parrish, of Ansterlitz, who recently purchased a Franklin county farm for \$220 an acre, resold it this week to Mr. J. D. Campbell, of Harrison county, at \$240 an acre. The farm contains 105 acres.

Harris & Speakes, of Paris, sold this week to Mr. S. H. Cleff, of Paris, a 260-acre farm located near Crittenden, in Grant county, known as the E. N. Webster place, at a price not given out for publication. Mr. Cleff will continue to reside in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. McDuffy purchased this week a frame cottage on Liljeston avenue, belonging to the estate of the late Rev. Geo. Varden, for \$800. The purchasers will move to the cottage.

Mrs. N. H. McNeese, of Harrison county, sold this week to Mr. Ira Parks, proprietor of the Ford Garage, in this city, her 251-acre farm on the Townsend and McNeese pike, in this county, for \$200 per acre. The farm adjoins the lands of Wm. H. Whaley, Carey Ward and the Griffith estate. It is now leased by Mr. Samuel Houston. Mr. Parks will be given possession on March 1.

### STOCK, CROP, ETC.

—Mr. Richard H. Wills, of this city, purchased a pair of fine draft mules for Mr. James W. Myers, of Carlisle, for which he paid \$350.

—Mr. Reynolds Letton, of near Paris, sold to E. P. Wagoner, five yearling bucks and four yearling bucks to Edsel Clark, for \$35 per head. Mr. Letton also sold a Short-horn heifer to G. Elmer Vice, of Dry Ridge, Grant county, for \$110.

—Five thousand head of lambs were shipped from Bourbon, Montgomery and Clark counties recently by Caywood & McClintock, of Paris. They paid from 15½ cents to 16 cents a pound for them.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

#### Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.

—Mrs. Harry Ogle and son, Raymond, visited Lexington relatives this week.

—Miss Sallie Hall, of Frankfort, is a guest of Miss Myrtle Russell, on Clifton avenue.

—Miss Nannette Wallingford has returned to Winchester, after a visit to Paris relatives.

—Mr. Oeslan Edwards has returned to Cincinnati after a visit to his family in this city.

—Miss Agnes Turner has returned from a visit to Miss Lena May Jones, in Winchester.

—Miss Mayme Wagoner has returned from a visit to Mrs. H. G. Woods, in Covington.

—Mrs. Hattie Thomas, of Midway, is the guest of Mrs. Margaret Burnett, on Tenth street.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Browning have returned to Louisville, after a visit to Paris relatives.

—Miss Margaret Doyle, of South Main street, is hostess to Miss Kathryn Maloney, of Lexington.

—Miss Ruth Pinnell, guest of Miss Elizabeth Tarr, has returned to her home in Winchester.

—Mrs. L. M. Tribble left yesterday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Glenn, near Stephen, Mo.

—Rev. Julian A. McClintock is in Franklin, Ohio, where he is assisting in conducting a revival meeting.

—Miss Anna Louise Glass has returned to her home in Midway, after a visit to Mrs. James S. Douglass.

—Miss Winnie Brophy, of Jackson, Ky., is a guest of her cousin, Miss Margaret Brophy, near Paris.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leach have as guest at their home near Paris, Mrs. Leonard G. Warren, of Taylorsville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard G. Shouse have returned to their home in Lexington, after a visit to friends in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. James have as guests at their home on Fourth Street, Misses Jessie and Lucy Kenley, of Georgetown.

—Misses Margaret Snodgrass and Marquis Gay Powell, of Winchester, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. John Merringer.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Dennis, of Globe, Arizona, who have been touring Kentucky, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sjeenberg.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis have returned to their home in Columbia, South Carolina, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hinton, on High street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Bell have returned from a motor trip to Louisville. While there they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Guerrant.

—Mrs. George Satterwhite, guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Purnell and family, on Vine street, returned to her home in Louisville, Tuesday morning.

—Mr. James Dawson, of near Cynthiana, underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at the Massie Memorial Hospital, in this city, this week.

—Mr. Charles P. Mann, of the Paris Realty Co., who has been under treatment by a Lexington specialist for some time, is improving and able to be at his office.

—Mrs. Ada Fishback's guests, Misses Mary Addie McAllister, of Lexington, and Elizabeth Cox, of Bowling Green, have returned to their homes after a pleasant visit at the home of their hostess, on Fifteenth street.

—Miss Mary Kenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Kenney, of this city, who is a patient at the Good Samaritan Hospital, in Lexington, where she recently underwent a slight surgical operation, is very much improved.

—Newton Taylor, Jr., and W. J. Kennedy are promoters of "Central Kentucky's Midsummer Dance," which will be given at the Masonic Temple, in this city, this (Friday) evening, August 23. The hours will be from 9:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. The music will be furnished by the Blue Grass Novelty Orchestra of five pieces. Subscription \$1.50.

—In honor of her guest, Miss Ruth Pinnell, of Winchester, Miss Elizabeth Tarr, of Paris, gave a "bathing party" at the Boonesboro bathing beach. The following were guests: Misses Ruth Pinnell, Agnes Turner, Lena May Jones, Anna Adams Peed, Charline Ball, Amieus Adams, Elizabeth Tarr; Mrs. Bennett Tarr; Walter Kenney, Claiborne Caldwell, Dan Peed, Jr., Vimont Layson, Ben Houston, Dana Haigus and Bennett Tarr.

(Other Personals on Page 5.)

### LYMAN HOWE'S PICTURES COMING ON SEPT. 9.

One of the striking features of Lyman H. Howe's newest Travel Festival program, which comes to Paris Grand on Monday, Sept. 9, is a sensational wild animal hunt in the Rockies, in which a famous Montana cowboy demonstrated how he captures ferocious wild animals alive with a lasso.

"Capturing Wild Animals Alive in the Rockies" is but one feature among many of Mr. Howe's latest Travel Festival program. This year Mr. Howe takes audiences "up in the air with the Marines," presenting the most startling series of aviation pictures ever filmed; through quaint old Mexico; into the South American jungles by canoe to Kaitetue Falls, five times as high as Niagara; and a ramble through Southern France. There will also be a reproduction, expertly animated in clay, of the famous Red Cross poster, "Greatest Mother in the World," as well as a marvelous "freak" film which reveals grotesque and puzzling scenic distortions. This is said to be something entirely new.

The usual amusing Howe animated cartoons are again a distinctive part of the Travel Festival.

### STRAUS INSTRUCTED AS TO RE-TAIL DELIVERY CURTAILMENT

Mr. Eugene J. Straus, of Louisville, Ky., State Representative of the Conservation Division of the War Industries Board, and State Chairman of the Commercial Economy Committee of the Kentucky Council of Defense, has just received instructions from the Conservation Division of the War Industries Board, part of which reads as follows:

"Every retail store is now being requested to adopt the plans already outlined without qualification. No exceptions are being made for any community or for the handling of any commodities. A number of places, both large and small, have been operating on the plan of one delivery a day over each route. They find it satisfactory and it will, therefore, be necessary for those who have not already made the adjustment to rearrange their service to help meet war conditions.

"The retail delivery service restrictions have been adopted by the merchants in the cities of Boston, Providence, New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Washington, New Orleans, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis, Denver, Portland, Seattle, Los Angeles, St. Louis, Des Moines, Detroit, Milwaukee, St. Paul, Minneapolis and many other large cities. In all of these the dry goods, department and clothing interests are co-operating and in several of them the grocery and food dealers are also making one delivery a day."

Mr. Straus is making a State-wide tour of the State of Kentucky in behalf of this campaign, and requests all merchants to adopt the recommendations of the Board, and will be in Paris, Ky., on Friday, Aug. 23, 1918, and will hold a meeting of the business men of the city at 8 o'clock at the Court House.

Mr. Straus is one of the many patriotic persons who is giving up his time without compensation as a means of doing his bit to help win the war. He is especially qualified for this work, having been raised in the department store work, being Secretary and Superintendent of Herman Straus & Sons Co., one of Louisville's largest department stores and having made a study of delivery and other economic services.

Each and every merchant, handling any line of goods is requested to attend this meeting, and adopt his business to the recommendations of the War Industries Board.

### ODD FELLOWS ASKED TO RAISE \$50,000 FUND.

Grand Master Beckham Overstreet, of Kentucky, has set aside Sept. 1 to 15 for the purpose of raising among the Odd Fellows of the State \$50,000 for the endowment of the Widows and Orphans Home.

Do these four things and then you will fulfill your mission.

First—Help Uncle Sam win this war for freedom and the protection of women and children.

Second—Buy Liberty Bonds and Thrift Stamps, so that our country can have funds to fight and help our allies.

Third—Give until you feel it, to the Y. M. C. A. and Red Cross and the relief of starving women and children made so by this cruel war.

Fourth—Endow the Orphans and Widows Home at once, so that your own orphan boys and girls may be fitted to be better citizens and your widow and self may have a home to shelter you in your declining years, in this, the greatest country on earth.

Odd Fellows, do your part.

### IT'S A MISTAKE MADE BY MANY PARIS RESIDENTS

Many people in a mistaken effort to get rid of kidney backache, rely on plasters, liniments and other makeshifts. The right treatment is kidney treatment and a remarkably recommended kidney medicine is Doan's Kidney Pills. Paris is no exception. The proof is at your very door. The following is an experience typical of the work of Doan's Kidney Pills in Paris.

Charles Stewart, tinsmith, Liljeston avenue, Paris, says: "I have had three or four attacks of lumbago in the past few years, the first being the worst. There was a constant dull ache in my back and often sharp, cutting pains darted through it. It sometimes seemed as though I could hardly endure the misery. I could hardly find remedies to no avail until I got hold of Doan's Kidney Pills, procuring them from the Ardery Drug Co. The first box helped me and I continued taking them until cured. Attacks since then have always been slight, and Doan's Kidney Pills have never failed to relieve me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Stewart had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

### CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Examination of applicants for the position of clerk with knowledge of stenography or typewriting under the auspices of the United States Civil Service Commission, will be held at the Federal Building in this city on September 27, October 25 and November 15.

The examinations will be conducted by Mr. Wm. E. Clarke, local Secretary, at the Federal Building. The Government's need of stenographers and typewriters grows more acute daily. Literally thousands of this class of workers will be needed in the Government offices at Washington during the next few months.

The Herts (England) War Agriculture Committee has started a library of fiction for girls working on the farms.

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## L. and N. Time-Table.

(Effective July 12, 1918, at 12:01 a. m.)

### Trains Arrive

No.	From	Arrive
34	Atlanta, Ga., Daily	5:33 am
10	Rowland, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:30 am
151	Cynthiana, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	6:50 am
17	Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:35 am
40	Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:40 am
32	Cincinnati, O., Daily	10:05 am
12	Lexington, Ky., Daily	10:10 am
33	Chicago, Ill., Daily	10:20 am
9	Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	5:40 pm
138	Lexington, Ky., Daily	3:10 pm
38	Knoxville, Tenn., Daily	3:15 pm
39	Cincinnati, O., Daily Except Sunday	5:50 pm
16	Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	6:30 pm
156	Maloney, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:55 pm
32	Jacksonville, Fla., Daily	8:32 pm
130	Lexington, Ky., Daily	10:20 pm
31	Cincinnati, O., Daily	10:28 pm
210	Lexington, Ky., Sunday only	12:50 pm
209	Maysville, Ky., Sunday only	5:40 pm

### Trains Depart

No.	For	Leave
34	Cincinnati, O., Daily	5:41 am
151	Maloney, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	6:55 am
40	Cincinnati, O., Daily Except Sunday	7:45 am
17	Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:45 am
10	Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:45 am
37	Knoxville, Tenn., Daily	10:13 am
13	Lexington, Ky., Daily	10:28 am
33	Jacksonville, Fla., Daily	10:27 am
129	Lexington, Ky., Daily	3:25 pm
38	Cincinnati, O., Daily	3:25 pm
39	Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	5:57 pm
9	Rowland, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	6:00 pm
16	Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	6:40 pm
32	Cincinnati, O., and Chicago, Ill., Daily	8:20 pm
131	Lexington, Ky., Daily	10:35 pm
31	Atlanta, Ga., Daily	10:36 pm
210	Maysville, Ky., Sunday only	12:55 pm
209	Lexington, Ky., Sunday only	5:43 pm
156	Cynthiana, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:39 pm

## F. and C. Time-Table

### TRAINS ARRIVE

No.	From	Arrive
2	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7:33 am
4	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	5:50 pm

### TRAINS DEPART

No.	For	Leave
1	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	8:25 am
3	Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	6:35 pm